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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2653  
**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding rejection of August 25, 2004, twice extended to January 25, 2005, by an appropriate two-month petition for extension of time and fee submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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